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Ms. Jennifer S. Cohen Campaign Manager Friends of Jan Schneider P.O. Box 57 Sarasota, FL 34230

Re.: Advisory Opinion Request 2006-23

Dear Ms. Cohen:

In a telephone conversation today between you and this Office, we informed you that the Commission would consider your Advisory Opinion Request in late September or early October, within the sixty-day period provided by the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Your request inquired about acceptance of one or two tickets to attend an event on September 9, 2006. During today's telephone conversation, you informed us that you and Ms. Schneider will not attend the event. We also discussed the possibility of some advertisements prior to the September 5, 2006 primary in Florida. However, because you and Ms. Schneider will not attend the September 9, 2006, event, your request no longer presents "a specific transaction or activity that the requesting person plans to undertake," and consequently your request no longer qualifies as an advisory opinion request. See 11 CFR 112.1(b).

This letter is to inform you that we consider your advisory opinion request, AOR 2006-23, moot, and we are closing our files on the matter.

Sincerely,

Rosemary C. Smith

Associate General Counsel